

missioner who recently visited Shimoga in this month strongly recommended the converting of this into a draw well.

The meeting consider that the necessity of conserving drinking water in this Town in its present state cannot be overrated. They therefore unanimously resolve that the estimate be submitted to Government for early sanction, and that owing to the utmost urgency of the work it may be undertaken in anticipation of sanction.

K. NAGESA RAO,
Vice-President.

TUMKUR MUNICIPALITY.

Proceedings of the Tumkur Town Municipal Board Meeting held on Tuesday the 12th March 1889.

Present.

P. N. Krishna Murti, Esq., President.

Members.

C. T. Dalal, Esq., Executive Engineer.

Nanjundaraj Ars, Esq., Treasury Asstt.

Commissioner.

H. Hanumantaiya, Esq., Amildar of Tumkur

Members.

Mr. Venkatachalaia.

Appanna Chetti.

Ramadasappa.

Venkatachar, Pleader.

Syed Davud Sahib.

Sugappa.

Vaidyanatha Iyer, Asstt. Surgeon.

1. Read monthly accounts as given below and audited by Mr. Ramadasappa.

Statement of receipts and expenditure for the month of February 1889.

Receipts.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Balance of the last month	3,636	1	2½
Receipts during the month	1,605	12	0
Total..	5,241	13	2½

Deduct cheques issued during the month	600	0	0
Balance fund available ..	4,641	13	2½

Expenditure.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Cash balance of the last month	266	14	4
Cheques received during the month	600	0	0
Total..	866	14	4

Deduct amount paid during the month	746	14	0
Balance at the close of the month.	120	0	4

Items.	Receipts.	Items.	Expenditure.
I. Octroi—		II. Head Office charges Overseer's pay ..	20 0 0
(a) Sheep, goats and bullocks ..	14 2 0	IV. Conservancy Establishment ..	103 6 0
(b) Cloths ..	200 10 8	Other charges ..	36 0 0
II. Tax on houses and buildings ..	781 4 2	V. Police—	
VII. Shop tax ..	373 0 0	Establishment Contingency	126 0 0
Loom tax ..	60 2 2	123—0—0 3—0—0	
Oil-mill tax ..	12 0 0	VII. Lighting ..	12 0 0
Cart tax ..	88 0 0	VIII. Public Works—	
VIII. Rents for market shops ..	6 0 0	Road repairs ..	155 12 0
X. Sale of houses and lands ..	58 0 0	Drain repairs ..	84 13 0
Fines for cattle trespass ..	22 8 2	Buildings original..	200 0 0
Scavengering fees ..	1 0 0		
Sale of trees ..	8 1 0	XI. Reward to dog and snake killers.	5 3 0
Other items ..	1 0 0	(b) Other Items ..	3 12 0
Total...	1605 12 0	Total...	746 14 0

Passed and resolved that the same may be submitted to the Government.

2. Read mortuary returns giving the following figures:—

Deaths.			Births.		
Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
12	8	15	14	3	17.